

## RALEIGH IN BRIEF.

## LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN AND AROUND THE CAPITAL.

## Short Items of News Gathered on the Fly by the Chronicle's Reporters.

The McNish minstrels will appear here on Monday night, the 15th inst.

There is some talk of reorganizing the Raleigh casino, or something like it.

The hose team of the Victor Fire company (col.) went up to Greensboro yesterday afternoon.

There are now sixty-three pupils enrolled at the College of Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts.

All young Democrats should remember the meeting of the Y. M. D. C. Thursday (tomorrow) night.

The nightly services of Central M. E. church are very interesting and are attracting large crowds.

Cotton continues to come in liberally. The store houses are being filled up, and the awful heavy snorts of the cotton compress will soon be heard.

Raleigh has more public and private schools than any city of the same size in the country. Count 'em all up and you'll be surprised, even if you are a Raleighite.

Four colored convicts got off the west bound train yesterday, and were hauled out to the penitentiary. Four convicts from Anson county were also put in the pen yesterday.

It was suggested yesterday that the handsome iron fence around the capitol ought to be repainted—and that the work ought to be done before the meeting of the next legislature.

The fast freight from the west which usually arrives early in the morning was delayed yesterday for several hours on account of the recent big freight wreck on the Yadkin river bridge near Salisbury.

It is reported that a fast daily train will soon be running between Raleigh and Wilkesboro. It is hoped that there is truth in this, as the reality would prove an immense convenience to the public generally.

Something very rich in the way of an entertainment is promised by a number of popular young ladies at the residence of R. H. Battle, Esq., tomorrow night. Those who attend will have a welcome and a pleasant time.

Lets have a lot of talk about railroads. Bring on the Altemarle & Raleigh extension; build one from Raleigh to Fayetteville—through the coal and iron section—then Raleigh can have iron furnaces, steel plants, &c.

The Democrats of Wake did a good thing when they nominated John W. Thompson for Clerk of the Superior Court. Upchurch had as well be making his arrangements to step down and out—Rockingham Rocket.

The traveller who gets off the train at the union depot here is always struck with the large number of neat-looking hacks and livery teams that meet the trains. As large a number is not seen in any other city of twice Raleigh's size.

The convention of the State Association of Democratic Clubs which meets in this city on September 24th, promises to be one of the best and most active and most enthusiastic meetings the State Democracy ever held. The convention will have a big time of it.

The Supreme court will convene on the 20th inst. Friday and Saturday the 26th and 27th will be devoted to the examination of applicants for license to practice law. So far only two applicants have been registered, but a class of about twenty-five is anticipated.

Everybody whoop up the trades procession. Let's have a big one. If enough of Raleigh's business men shall get interested in the matter, it would probably be a good thing to get a professional float designer and decorator to take charge of it. What say you gentlemen?

The forthcoming number of the Bulletin issued by the Agricultural department will be a valuable document. It will have ten pages, six of which will deal with late statistics. Four pages will show recent crop statistics and two pages will show the statistics of cattle in the State.

Larger and handsomer stocks of goods are being brought into the city by the merchants this fall than ever before in the history of Raleigh. There are some stores here which will equal in elegance and completeness any to be found in the country. Raleigh can supply any kind of a demand and supply it as cheaply and handsomely as any city.

Last spring an effort was made to have Rev. Sam Jones hold a series of meetings here. The effort did not succeed on account of previous engagements the evangelist had made; but the CHRONICLE is under the impression that the preacher said he might be able to come here this fall. Will the effort to get him be renewed?

Raleigh's tobacco market is already good and promises great things. The weed brings higher prices here than on any market in the State. Everybody ought to go to the daily sales and watch "Old Lugs," who walks about nonchalantly and bids on a pile of tobacco in such a keen way that you can neither see nor hear him bid. But he always gets there.

Something new and very pretty appeared on the streets yesterday. It was the handsome delivery wagon of Swindell's Big Racket Store. That establishment is full of enterprise, and it just declares that it will make the dry bones of business rattle this fall and open wide the eyes of the public. The new wagon presents a beautiful mingling of black and gold colors in the way of ornament, and is one of the handsomest vehicles on the streets of Raleigh.

Now and then the eye of the reading public falls on a list of the industries and enterprises of which some town boasts. Raleigh is more of a city, has more of the element and advantages of a city than any other place in the State now has or will have within the next ten years. But she has never said much about them. Would it be a good thing for the chamber of commerce to get up a showing of what Raleigh is and has? If it were done, a great many boasting towns would be very much astonished. By some strange cause Raleigh is not known abroad as she should be known.

## COMING AND GOING.

## Some of The Folks You Know and Their Doings.

Mr. W. B. Tarkinton has gone to Asheville.

Miss Mary Lily Kenan has returned to the city.

Mr. Robt. Southerland is in the city visiting friends.

Miss Genevieve Jordan is visiting friends in Cary.

Mr. Chas. Ferrall went up west yesterday afternoon.

Gen. R. F. Hoke and family have returned to the city.

R. B. Boone, Esq., of Durham, is registered at the Yarbore.

State Auditor Sanderlin returned yesterday from Goldsboro.

Sheriff Hoskins, of Guilford county was in the city yesterday.

Miss Pattie Ballard, of Louisburg, is visiting Miss Sallie Clark.

Miss Florence Jones has returned from a visit to friends in Shelby.

Mr. Walter H. Carroll has returned from a pleasant trip to Johnston county.

Miss Bessie Parnell left for Salem yesterday to attend the Salem Female College.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Ballard and Master David are in the city visiting Mrs. A. M. Clark.

Miss Pittman, who has been visiting Miss Janie Ward, went up to Salem yesterday.

Prof. E. M. Nadal, of Wilson, is stopping in the city with relatives and friends.

Rev. W. J. Sholar, accompanied by his mother, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Walter P. Stradley, of Oxford, will soon come to Raleigh to read law under Judge Strong.

Miss Florence Bowles, who has been visiting Miss Gussie Carroll, returned to her home in Aberdeen yesterday.

Prof. Chas. E. Taylor, President of Wake Forest College, passed through the city yesterday en route for the West.

Miss Loula Jarrell, of Wilmington, who has been visiting Miss Edie Broughton, returned to her home yesterday.

Senator Vance will speak in Goldsboro either Thursday or Friday. Announcement of the date will be made later in the Argus.

Col. A. B. Andrews has gone to Chicago to attend a meeting of the directors of the Columbian Exposition\* of which he is one of the vice presidents.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Elizabeth, daughter of Judge and Mrs. James C. MacRae, of Fayetteville, to Mr. Edmund J. Lilly, Jr., to take place Wednesday morning, September 18th, at 8 o'clock, in St. John's Church.

Miss Lily Nicholson, of Oakville, Warren county, is at Rev. Dr. C. T. Bailey's. She was recently elected a member of the faculty of the Graded schools of Raleigh, and is here preparatory to entering upon her duties.

Gov. Fowle has gone to Atlanta to attend the meeting of the Trades Convention of the Southern States which meets to day. The delegates from this state are: Major R. S. Tucker, Raleigh; Col. W. J. Green, Fayetteville; Col. V. E. McBee, Asheville; M. W. Norriss, Winston; Col. E. J. Parish, Durham; R. M. Oates, Esq., Charlotte; Col. J. W. Atkinson, Wilmington; J. A. Meadows, Esq., New Bern.

## The Trades Procession.

The CHRONICLE is gratified to see leading business houses awakening to a practical and lively interest in the trades procession for the Fair. In addition to those already reported the following sent in their names yesterday:

MESSRS. W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & Co. S. & D. BERWANGER.

The Messrs. Tucker say that they will "fix their float right," and that kind of expression from that house means that they will present something superb.

Sam. Berwanger had a merry twinkle in his eye when he told a CHRONICLE man that his "house would have to get up something."

"Something" with the Berwangers means something sure enough. Watch and see if doesn't.

## Weather Report.

Raleigh yesterday: Maximum temperature 85; minimum temperature 66; rainfall, 0.00.

Local forecast for Raleigh and vicinity to-day: Fair weather until afternoon, then becoming cloudy with rain; colder.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—Forecast for Virginia, fair, cooler, northeasterly winds.

For North Carolina, local rains; cooler; northeasterly winds.

## The Raleigh Public Schools.

The Raleigh public schools will reopen Friday, Sept. 12th, at 9 a. m.

Pupils in attendance last session will be readmitted without tickets.

I will be at the Centennial school Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 9th and 10th from 8 a. m. to 3 p. m. for the purpose of issuing tickets to new pupils for both schools.

The teachers of the white schools will please meet me at the Murphy school Thursday, the 11th at 4 p. m.

E. P. Moses, Supt.

## Attention, Governor's Guard.

You are hereby ordered to meet in your armory tonight at 8:30 o'clock Business of importance. By order of Captain.

S. W. HEWITT.

First Sergeant.

The ladies of Asheville, as far as we know, are to be credited with the first organized effort against the servant girl. They have held a meeting, elected a protest and inaugurated a systemized protest against the carelessness and general "no-accountness" of the female help. If anything can be done to improve this important class of labor, the ladies of Asheville should have a vote of thanks. —Greensboro Patriot.

## LET WAKE BE REDEEMED.

(Greensboro Patriot.)

Wake county, one of the largest in the State, presents good chances for electing this year a Democratic ticket. The negroes have candidates, which will draw from the white Republicans and make Democratic success a strong probability. Let Wake county be redeemed, by all means, from its political bondage. We have good chances in every heretofore doubtful county, and all that is necessary is to work.

[If the white men of Raleigh will do their duty, Wake will be redeemed. The eyes of the State are upon us. Raleigh can elect the whole ticket if it will be patriotic. The farmers will do their duty. Only a few days ago we heard a prominent Democrat in an adjoining county seriously advocate putting Wake in the Black Congressional district. He said: "Wake has a white majority, and if the business and professional men, mechanics and clerks, and all other white men in Raleigh worked as hard as they did in Durham, in Alamance, in Franklin and other counties Wake would be Democratic." "We shut our stores," he continued, "pay our money and work with all our might—and all of us work. In Raleigh, the work falls on the shoulders of a few, and the Republicans carry the city BECAUSE OF THE INDIFFERENCE OF THE PEOPLE OF RALEIGH WHO REAP MORE BENEFIT FROM DEMOCRATIC SUCCESS THAN THE PEOPLE OF ANY TOWN IN THE STATE. Let Raleigh and Wake do its duty, or let the county be put into the negro district along with the Republican counties."

This gentleman has large political influence and experience. We give his views to the people of Raleigh to show them what Democrats in other places are thinking about. It would be a very great blow to us here in Wake to be put in the negro district. It may be done if we fail to send Democrats to the Legislature to look out for our interests.

Mechanics of Raleigh: Business and Professional Men of Raleigh: White Men, who are Patriotic, of Raleigh:

What are you going to do? You can elect the entire Democratic ticket—redeem Raleigh's reputation—save us the humiliation of being put into the negro district—give us Democratic county officials from Coroner up to Clerk of the Court—and send five true Democrats to the Legislature to protect your interests if you will work WORK! WORK! We ought to carry Raleigh this year. We can do it easily if the white men of the city will be true to themselves and not be influenced by such petty considerations as favoritism and personality. There is not a man on the Democratic ticket who is not honest and upright and worthy of support, and no white man who is not a dyed-in-the-wool Republican can find any excuse for scratching any nominee.

All together—and we can win.

"Some Practical Benefits of Life Insurance."

Mr. Rufus M. Cross, of Sanford, N. C., insured his life in the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company of Newark, N. J., on the 25th day of last April. He had never made but one semi annual payment of \$23.88 on the policy. His administrator, Mr. John W. Cross of this city was, on yesterday, handed a check for the amount of the policy, by Mr. John C. Drewry, the State Agent for this reliable old company.

## Died.

Maj. Ham Seales, a well known citizen of Winston is dead. He was a native of Rockingham county, was a Mason and a Presbyterian.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

## Wanted.

Copies of the CHRONICLE of May 21st and June 20th. Apply at this office.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & Co.

To close out, we have reduced the prices on a line of gents' summer shirts. You can afford to buy now even if you do not use them much before next summer.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & Co.

Messrs. Cross & Linehan have a new advertisement to-day, telling something about an elegant stock of clothing, &c., just brought. This young firm has grown very popular and is winning big and permanent patronage. That's because they keep what will please the public and sell it at such prices as suit the public. It is a pleasure to look at their stock, and it is a pleasure to them to show it. When you think of hats, clothing, &c., just step in and see them.

We all remember the lively and interesting campaign of 1888—how the Democratic clubs all over the State adopted the white beaver as an insignia, and how those white beavers were enthusiastically worn and waved at all public speakings and assemblies, and how instrumental they were in forming the best organization of the Democratic party ever known in North Carolina. Now let all the clubs adopt it again. Nothing helps so much as enthusiasm. Messrs. Whiting Bros., of this city, have made arrangements to furnish them promptly in any quantities at a low price.

## Flat on the Floor.

Of course we mean carpets and rugs, and we have good reasons for wanting to interest you in carpets and rugs and get them flat on your floor, and to induce you to get them from us, and if you will give us your attention we will tickle your fancy until you induce all of your friends to buy carpets and rugs from us. If you want a carpet at all and you will honor us with your presence, we will guarantee to sell you one, because we have a big stock of carpets and rugs, and then we can have the carpet made and put down "Flat on your Floor" without any trouble at all to you. We have an "artist" at the business. Try us once for a carpet.

SWINDELL.

## THE WORLD'S COMMERCE.

NEW YORK, September 9. Messrs. Hubbard, Price & Company, in their cotton circular to-night say: The Liverpool market still lacks the support of spinners, but futures are from two to three points higher, the strength being especially noticeable in the near positions. This market, except during about an hour in the forenoon, has been very steady, and the tendency during the entire day has been plainly towards higher figures.

Total sales of futures 72,800 bales.

Futures closed firm as follows:

Month	Price
September	10 48-49
October	10 28-29
November	10 16-17
December	10 20-21
January	10 23-24
February	10 27-28
March	10 30-32
April	10 36-37
May	10 42-43
June	10 47-48

## Cotton.

City	Sale	Tone	Mkt	Ret	Ex
Galveston	1075	Firm	9-9-16	4024	....
Boston	1124	Steady	10-1-16	2065	....
Baltimore	....	Nom'l	10-1-2	970	....
Boston	....	Quiet	10-5-8	....	....
Wilmington	....	Firm	9-7-8	2010	....
Philadelphia	....	Steady	9-9-16	4024	....
Savannah	1725	Quiet	9-9-16	4882	4175
New Orleans	3000	Steady	9-1-16	3315	....
Mobile	500	Quiet	9-7-8	1686	....
Memphis	2225	Quiet	10-0-0	175	....
Augusta	1120	Steady	9-9-16	....	....
Louisville	....	Dull	10-1-1	....	....
St. Louis	....	Quiet	10-0-0	7	....

In Liverpool cotton was higher; middling uplands 5 13-16d; sales 7,000 bales.

## Baltimore Produce Market.

COTTON—Closed nominal. Middling uplands 10 1/2.

WHEAT—Closed dull; Howard Street and Western superline 3.00@3.50; do. do. extra 3.75@4.65; do. do. family 4.90@5.50; city mills Rio brands extra 5.20@5.40; winter wheat patent 5.00@5.85; spring do. 5.40@6.25; do. straight 5.50@5.75.

WHEAT—Southern inactive and weak; Fultz 93@1.00; Longberry 95@1.00; steamer No. 2 red 93; Western steady; No. 2 winter red spot and September 9 1/2@95 1/2.

OATS—Closed quiet; ungraded Southern and Pennsylvania 40@43; do. Western white 42@43; do. do. mixed 41@42; graded No. 2 white 43.

RYE—Closed easier; choice to fancy 71@73.

PROVISIONS—Fairly active; mess pork old 12.50; new 12.75; bulk meat loose shoulders 6 1/2; long clear 6 1/2; clear rib 6 1/2; sugar pickled shoulders 6 1/2; sugar cured smoked shoulders 8; hams, small 12 1/2@13; large 11 1/2@12.

COFFEE—Closed dull; fair Rio cargoes 20 1/2.

RIBS—September 5.32 1/2; October 5.47 1/2.

SUGAR—Closed quiet; granulated 6 1/2.

COFFEES—Refined firm at 15.

WHISKY—Firm at 1.10.

## Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, Ill., September 9.—Wheat opened weak; corn opened lower and steady; oats opened weak; provisions opened fairly steady.

CLOSINGS:

WHEAT—October 90; May 1.05 1/2.

CORN—September 45 1/2; October 45 1/2; May 47 1/2.

OATS—September 35 1/2; October 35 1/2; May 38 1/2@38 3/4.

RYE—September 9.75; October 10.00; May 12.30.

LARD—September 6.25; October 6.30; May 7.05.

RIBS—September 5.32 1/2; October 5.40; May 6.15.

## Nashville Produce Market.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 9.—Wheat closed dull at a decline; No. 2 red winter 1.05. Corn easy at a decline; white milling 58.

Cincinnati Produce Market.

PORK—Not quoted.

LARD—Kettle-dried 6 1/2@6 3/4.

RACON—Short-cured sides 6.40@6.50.

WHISKY—Sales 1398 barrels finished goods on the basis of 1.13 per gallon for high wines.

## Naval Stores.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 9.—Spirits turpentine closed steady to day at 30. Rosin quiet; strained 90; good do. 95. Tar firm at 1.65. Crude Turpentine firm; hard 1.20; yellow dip 2.00; virgin 2.00.

CORN—Firm. White 58; yellow 56.

## Raleigh Tobacco Market.

Reported for the STATE CHRONICLE.

RALEIGH, N. C., September 9. Market strong and active, with prices full up to our quotations with 80 per cent of crop sold, and buyers, both on orders and for speculation anxious for stock.

Smokers—Common 5a8  
Good 5a7  
Fillers—Common 5a7  
Good 7a11  
Fine 11a15  
Cutters—Common 10a14  
Medium 14a20  
Good 20a28  
Fine 28a35  
Fancy 28a35  
Wrappers—Common 14a22  
Medium 22a40  
Good to fine, to fancy, 40a70

## The City Cotton Market.

RALEIGH, N. C., September 9—5 P. M. New cotton (middling) 9 1/2@9 3/4. Quiet.

## City Produce Market.

Reported for the STATE CHRONICLE by W. C. & A. B. STONACH, Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

RALEIGH, N. C., September 9. Broom straw, 20 bun. Sweet potatoes, 40a50c. Cane, 40c. Dried peaches, peeled, 25 to 40c. Dried peaches, unpeeled, 25 to 40c. (No dried fruit offering.) Eggs, 12-1-2 to 15c. Pork, 6c. Hams, 11 to 12-1-2c. White peas, bush, 22a40. Black and clay do. 22a40. N. C. Cut Herring, 40a50c. "Mulletts, 40a45. "Roe Herring, 30a40. Wheat straw, 40c. \$3.00 per half bbl.

## TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES.

LONDON, Sept. 9.—The U. S. steamer Baltimore, with the remains of Captain Erriscon on board, arrived at Gottharburg, Sweden, this morning.

LONDON, Sept. 9.—The Irish Registrar's annual report estimates the population of the Green Isle at 4,730,560.

## Married.

In Washington, N. C., Sept. 4th, Mr. W. W. McHenry of New York to Miss Lena Bell, Rev. Nat. Harding officiating.

At Liberty, N. C., Sept. 5th, Mr. J. A. Hadley, of Boston, to Miss Swanannoa Brower, Rev. J. L. Michaux officiating.

On Wednesday, Sept. 31, in Granville county, Rev. G. T. Watkins to Miss Nannie Lou Merritt, daughter of Dr. Wm. Merritt, Revs. J. G. Beam and J. H. Lambart officiating. The ceremony was performed in the porch, the bride and room standing under a large floral bell. The parlor was lighted with Japanese lanterns, making altogether a lovely scene. They will remain in North Carolina until about the first of December, when they will sail for the missionary field of Japan.

## Situation Wanted.

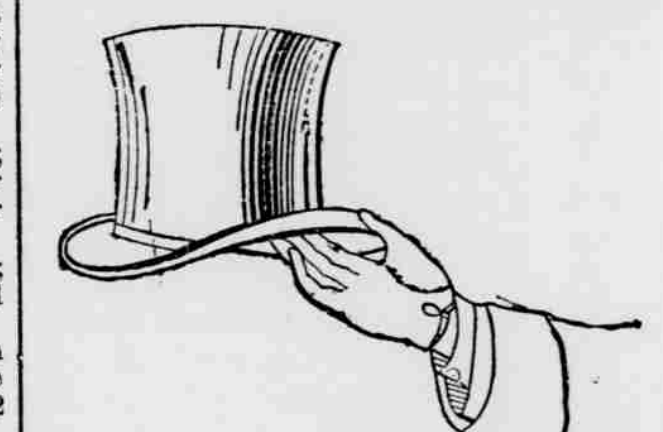
A lady who is competent to teach English, Latin, Music and Mathematics, desires a situation. Apply to MISS L. CARE OF CHRONICLE.

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